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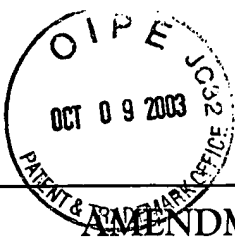
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Applicant(s): Gregory R. Collins, et al.

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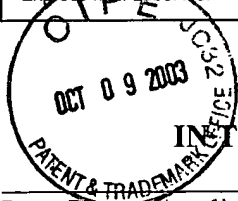
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated July 7, 2003 (Paper No. 3), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 15 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.